



JKO Operational Contract Support (OCS) Online Training Program (OTP)

Community of Interest Briefing

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OCS Community of Interest Design Objectives



- Collaborative one-stop shop for OCS multi-phased programs in support of pre-deployment training courses for the total workforce with emphasis on the non-acquisition community and Joint Force Commanders.
- Link OCS Stakeholder portals, joint training, professional military education and policies to meet OCS knowledge management objectives.
- Synthesize content and training resources gathered across DoD to close OCS training gaps.
- Facilitate OCS life-cycle management objectives to include OCS courseware maintenance and the collection of meaningful metrics to measure the effectiveness of OCS training development and delivery



OCS COI Gateway VIA JKO



Why JFCOM/JKDDC?

Developing and maintaining JKDDC to develop, facilitate access to, and distribute joint knowledge and information assets via existing and emerging networks that historically provide joint training and education resources to DOD users..... *CJCSI 3500.01E*

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Why Joint Knowledge Online (JKO)?



- 3 sites (NIPR, SIPR, Internet) fully operational since launch
- ~1,377,906 total portal hits since launch
- ~85,082 registered users since launch
- ~**168,477** course completions since launch
- **302** courses (~1,464 hrs of instruction) available
- 40 Communities of Interest NIPR/ 19 IP
- Recognized For Excellence
- NIPR Common Access Card (CAC) / Single Sign-On
- Certified Joint Courseware
- ATLAS PRO Learning Management System (LMS)
- Capability to Track Defense-wide Training
- Universal Joint Task List (UJTL) Based Search Capabilities
- Lessons Learned / Subject Matter Expert (SME) Reach Back
- Joint Exercise and Event Schedules

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technology
in action

Learning Content Management
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Key JKDDC References



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- CJCS Vision for Joint Officer Development, November 2005
- Strategic Plan for Transforming DOD Training, 8 May 2006
- CJCS Guide 3501, “The Joint Training System, A Primer for Senior Leaders” 6 October 2006,
- DODI 1300.19, 31 October 2007, “DOD Joint Officer Management Program”
- DoD Instruction (DoDI) 1300.20, *DoD Joint Officer Management Program Procedures*
- OUSD(P&R), 30 March 2007, “DOD Joint Officer Management Joint Qualification System Implementation Plan”
- CJCSI 3500.01E: Joint Training Policy And Guidance For The Armed Forces Of The United States, 2008
- CJCSM 3500.03 Series, “Joint Training Manual for the Armed Forces of United States”

Introductory Operational Contract Support (OCS) Commander and Staff Course

Previous Lesson

Next Lesson

Suspend Lesson

Help

Exit Course

Expand Tree

Collapse Tree

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Course Introduction

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Contract Support Integration

Contractor Management

OCs Process Overview

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Joint Knowledge Online

Joint Knowledge Development and Distribution Capability (JKDDC)

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Course Conclusion

Successful operational contract support is the ability to orchestrate and synchronize the provision of integrated contract support and management of contractor personnel providing that support to the joint force in a designated operational area.

You have successfully completed the Introductory Operational Contract Support (OCS) Commander and Staff Course.

Now you are able to:

- Identify the roles and responsibilities of DoD, joint, and service commanders and staffs as it relates to operational contract support
- Recognize key contract support integration principles
- Recognize key contractor management principles
- Define the five steps of the OCS process



Operational Contract Support

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We strongly recommend that you subscribe to the Operational Contract Support (OCS) Community of Interest

Contractors supporting deployed forces have highlighted the need for military leaders to manage contracted support. This COI supports this effort. <click here>

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OCS Community of Interest (COI)



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Operational Contract Support (OCS) – Group Discussions List

The Office of the Secretary of Defense (OSD), Acquisition Technology and Logistics (AT&L), in collaboration with the Joint Staff J4 Logistics Directorate has contracted with the U.S. Joint Forces Command (JFCOM), Joint Knowledge Development and Distribution Capability (JKDDC) to assist in the development of a holistic training and education program for operational contract support (OCS).



The need to train the non-acquisition workforce to manage contracts and contractors in the battle space has become increasingly important as more and more contractors are performing roles that were traditionally performed by military personnel. Despite representing half the force and one-fifth or more of the total costs in Iraq and Afghanistan, military leaders, in general, are not prepared to plan for, interface with, and maximize operational contract support (OCS) capabilities in the contingency environment. This increase in the number of contractors has brought with it an increase in attention and oversight by both Congress and the Government Accounting Office (GAO) who have noted the need to expand and improve OCS training for military personnel in numerous reports including the [Gansler Commission Report in 2007](#).



To meet the OCS training objective, JKDDC has developed a multi-phased program beginning with a Phase I pre-deployment training course for the non-acquisition workforce with an initial focus on Joint Force Commanders. In Phase II of the program, JKDDC will lead the development of a one-stop OCS Community of Interest (COI) to be established on JKO with links to OCS Stakeholder portals to meet OCS knowledge management objectives. The COI will synthesize content and training resources gathered across DoD as part of an extensive front-end analysis of OCS training and education gaps and DoD stakeholder initiatives. Phase III of the program will focus on OCS life-cycle management objectives to include OCS courseware maintenance and the collection of meaningful metrics to measure the effectiveness of OCS training development and delivery via JKO.

You will be able to do the following:

- Take OCS related modules
- Find solutions to everyday problems
- Establish and disseminate best practices
- Steward organizational knowledge
- Foster innovation
- Provide Informal Learning
- Provide Ad-hoc problem solving
- Provide Professional networking
- Provide Mutual support

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• [JT - JETCO](#)
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Policy Links
• [ADUSD \(PS\) Policy Vault](#)
• [ADUSD \(PS\) Hot Topics](#)
• [Gansler Commission Report](#)



What Do We Need From You?

● Use Cases

- OCS processes
- Collaboration
- Advanced Search

● Membership Activation

- JKO will initiate via email to invite them to join
- SPAWAR will provide a link to <http://www.jko.cmil.org>
- Subscribers will have access to COIs

● Suggested Forums

- Moderated (See splash pages and links but nothing below the center page)
- Invitation Only (Manager controlled)
- Closed communities (no subscription possible)
- Open (no approval necessary)



Questions

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